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Lisbon, September 5.

ON Thursday last, the 29th of August, his Royal Highness the Duke of Gloucester arrived here in good Health, in His Britannick Majesty's Frigate Venus, Captain Balfour, attended by the Alarm Frigate, Captain Jervais.

His Royal Highness was conducted on Shore by Count Baron, in one of his most Faithful Majesty's Barges, and from thence in his Majesty's Coach to a House, fitted up by Order of his Majesty, for the Use of his Royal Highness.

Yesterday his Royal Highness left this City, and sailed for Gibraltar, with a very fair Wind.

His Royal Highness was conducted on Board Ship by M. de Mello, one of the Principal Secretaries of State.

Petersburgh, August 27. The Reports of the Plague, or a Distemper resembling it, being at Moscow, are without Foundation. It is true there is a Fever there, which the poor Patients conceal till the last Extremity, for Fear of being sent by the Police to the Pest-Houses, which makes them appear to die suddenly. The Government have nevertheless taken Precautions against its spreading.

Florence, September 7. The Day before Yesterday, at Four in the Afternoon, the Great Dutchess was happily delivered of a Prince, at the Palace near this Town; which Event was announced to the Public, by a Discharge of the Cannon in the two Fortresses: Couriers were immediately dispatched to Vienna, Madrid, Naples, and Brussels; and an Invitation was sent to the Foreign Ministers, and to the Nobility of both Sexes, (who have the Entrees) to attend at the Christening; which was performed at Eight, the same Evening, with great Ceremony by the Archbishop. The Prince was named Charles. The Prince of Asturias was Godfather, being represented by the Marquis Viviani, the Spanish Envoy. The young Prince was brought to the Palace in Town Yesterday. There are to be four Days of Gala; and the Hour of Twelve is appointed for the Nobility to go to the Palace to enquire after the Health of the Great Dutchess and the young Prince. They are at present as well as can be expected.

Vienna, September 11. The Bank here are going to issue Notes to the Amount of Twelve Millions of Florins, which are to bear no Interest, but to circu-

late as ready Money, without any Obligation to receive them in Payment: But the Empress has ordered that a certain Portion of the Payment to the Customs, and several other Branches of the Revenue, shall be made in these Bills.

The Emperor is not yet arrived, and is not now expected till Friday or Saturday next.

Turin, September 11. This Morning his Sardinian Majesty was pleased to appoint the Prince of Piedmont to be Colonel of the Regiment of Dragoons called Piedmont Royal.

His Royal Highness the Duke of Chablais returned to this City on Friday, in perfect Health, from his Tour to the Borromean Islands: And this Day the King of Sardinia, and the whole Court, are gone to Stupiniggi, where they propose to hunt for some Days.

Copenhagen, September 14. The rainy Weather continues with hardly any Intermission, and it is feared the Badness of the Harvest will raise the Prices of Provisions to a very great Height.

Preparations are making at the Palace of Frederichsberg, in the Neighbourhood of this City, for the Reception of their Majesties and the Royal Family, who are expected to move to that Residence at the End of next Month.

Berlin, September 14. The King of Prussia remains, in perfect Health, at Potsdam. Last Thursday his Majesty went to see a Part of the Corps of Artillery perform their Exercises at Gros-Glinicke, (a Village South-West of Spandau, about a German Mile from Potsdam, and one and an half from this City) where some Works are thrown up, and two Companies encamp at a Time, which are daily relieved by two other Companies from hence; where, for these three Years past, the whole Corps of Artillery, making about Six Thousand Men, have been in Garrison. Barracks having been built for that Purpose. His Prussian Majesty was extremely well pleased with their Method of Firing, &c. and, after Dining with Lieutenant General Deskow, who commands the Artillery, his Majesty returned to Potsdam.

On the 11th Instant her Prussian Majesty arrived from her Palace of Schonhausen in this Capital, where her Majesty will continue, the bad Weather we have had for these two Months past rendering the Country very disagreeable.

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East-India House, August 28, 1771.

The Court of Directors of the United Company of Merchants of England trading to the East Indies do hereby give Notice,

That a Quarterly General Court of the said Company will be held at their House in Leadenhall-Street, on Wednesday the 25th of September next, at Eleven o'Clock in the Forenoon, for the Purpose of declaring a Dividend from Midsummer last to Christmas next.

Hospital for the Maintenance and Education
of Exposed and Deserted Young Children,
September 24, 1771.

Notice is hereby given, That the stated Quarterly General Meeting of the Corporation of the Governors and Guardians of this Hospital, appointed by the Charter, will be held at the said Hospital on Wednesday the 2d of next Month, at Eleven o'Clock in the Morning; when all the said Governors and Guardians are desired to be present: Of which Meeting this Notice is given pursuant to Act of Parliament.

T. Collingwood, Secretary.

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THE Creditors of Crispin Unsworth, late of Warrington in the County of Lancaster, Grocer, deceased, are hereby required to take Notice, that a First Payment of his Debts will be made on the 1st Day of October next, and any following Days in the said Month, by Margaret Unsworth, his Widow and sole Executrix, who requires due Proof to be made of all such Debts as shall be demanded from the Estate of the said Deceased: And all Persons indebted to the aforesaid Estate are immediately to pay the same to the said Executrix, or they will be sued without further Notice.

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PURSUANT to a Decree of the High Court of Chancery, the Creditors (if any) of Pryse Campbell, late of Grosvenor Square in the County of Middlesex, Esq; deceased, are forthwith to come and prove their Debts before Samuel Pechell, Esq; one of the Masters of the said Court, at his Chambers in Symond's Inn Chancery-Lane, London.

THE Creditors who have proved their Debts under a Commission of Bankrupt against John Tyssen, deceased, late of London, Merchant, or their Representatives, are desired to meet at the Queen's Arms Tavern, St. Paul's Church-Yard, London, on Friday the 27th of September instant, at Eleven in the Forenoon, to receive the Report of the Assignee relating to the compounding the respective Demands of the Assignees of John Ward, deceased, and the Representatives of Sir Caesar Child, deceased, on the Estate and Effects of the said John Tyssen, the Bankrupt; and to dissent from and disallow the said Composition, or approve of, ratify, and confirm the same; and on other special Affairs. Such Creditors who may be prevented attending themselves, are desired to empower some other Person, by proper Letter of Attorney, to appear and act for them.

Lancashire, September 19, 1771.

WHEREAS Christopher Blackledge, late of Wheelton in the County of Lancaster, but then of Chorley in the same County, Cotton-Manufacturer, did, on the 7th Instant, by Deed indented, grant, assign, and transfer to John Rainford, of Chorley aforesaid, Merchant, and John Entwistle, of Heapey in the said County, Husbandman, all the Estate and Effects whereof he was solely or jointly possessed or interested in, for the equal Benefit of all his Creditors, whether on his sole and separate Account, or on Account of the Partnership subsisting between him and the said John Entwistle, who should, within One Month after Public Notice in the London Gazette, claim and

and make out their several Demands against the said Christopher Blackledge, to the Satisfaction of him and his said Assignees. And whereas the said John Entwistle hath, in consequence thereof, by his Deed indented of the 11th Instant, granted and assigned all his Estate and Effects to the said John Rainford, Samuel Kershaw, of Whittle in Le Woods in the said County, Yeoman, and Robert Blackledge, of Wheelton afore said, Husbandman, for the like equal Benefit of all his Creditors, whether on the Partnership or on his sole Account, who should execute such Deed or Instrument within Two Calendar Months next after Public Notice given thereof in the London Gazette, or any Country Paper; at which Time they are to leave an Account of their respective Claims and Demands, and verify the same, by Oath or Affirmation, (if required) otherwise to be excluded all Benefit under the said Deed. Notice is hereby therefore given, that the last mentioned Instrument is lodged in the Hands of Mr. Richard Smith, Attorney at Law, in Chorley afore said, for the above Purposes; to whom, or to the said Trustees, or some of them, all Persons owing any Money to the Estate or Effects of the said Christopher Blackledge and John Entwistle, or either of them, or, having any Personal Property of them or either of them in their Custody or Possession, are desired to pay and deliver the same, or they will be sued without further Notice: And 'tis hereby particularly desired by the said Trustees, that the said Christopher Blackledge do immediately, on Sight hereof, return to his Dwelling-House in Chorley afore said, as his Assistance is found highly necessary in the Settlement of the said Affairs; and he may fully depend on the free Liberty of his Person, as every Individual of his Creditors seem satisfied with his Conduct in every Respect, save in absenting himself.

Pursuant to an Order made by the Right Honourable Henry Lord Apsley, Lord High Chancellor of Great Britain, for Enlarging the Time for George Travell, of Rotherhithe Wall in the County of Surry, Carpenter, Dealer and Chapman, (a Bankrupt) to surrender himself, and make a full Discovery and Disclosure of his Estate and Effects, for Forty-nine Days, to be computed from the 14th Day of September instant; This is to give Notice, that the Commissioners in the said Commission named and authorized, or the major Part of them, will meet on the 2d Day of November next, at Five of the Clock in the Afternoon, at Guildhall, London; when and where the said Bankrupt is required to surrender himself, and a full Discovery and Disclosure of his Estate and Effects, and finish his Examination; and the Creditors, who have not already proved their Debts, may then and there come and prove the same, and assent to or dissent from the Allowance of his Certificate.

Pursuant to an Order made by the Right Honourable Henry Lord Apsley, Lord High Chancellor of Great Britain, for Enlarging the Time for James Bidmead, of Chalford Bottom in the Parish of Hampton in the County of Gloucester, Clothier, Dealer and Chapman, (a Bankrupt) to surrender himself, and make a full Discovery and Disclosure of his Estate and Effects, for Seven Days, to be computed from the 24th Day of September instant; This is to give Notice, that the Commissioners in the said Commission named and authorized, or the major Part of them, will meet on the 1st Day of October next, at Eleven of the Clock in the Forenoon, at Guildhall, London; when and where the said Bankrupt is required to surrender himself, and make a full Discovery and Disclosure of his Estate and Effects, and finish his Examination; and the Creditors, who have not already proved their Debts, may then and there come and prove the same, and assent to or dissent from the Allowance of his Certificate.

Whereas a Commission of Bankrupt is awarded and issued forth against Thomas Lydiard and John Pringle, now or late of Macclesfield in the County of Chester, Silk-Throwers, Dealers, Chapmen, and Copartners, and they being declared Bankrupts, are hereby required to surrender themselves to the Commissioners in the said Commission named, or the major Part of them, on the 14th and 15th Days of October next, and on the 5th Day of November next, at Ten of the Clock in the Forenoon, on each of the said Days, at the House of William Hilton, the Sign of the Angel, in Macclesfield afore said, and make a full Discovery and Disclosure of their Estate and Effects; when and where the Creditors are to come prepared to prove their Debts, and at the Second Sitting to chuse Assignees, and at the last Sitting the said Bankrupts are required to finish their Examination, and the Creditors are to assent to or dissent from the Allowance of their Certificate. All Persons indebted to the said Bankrupts, or that have any of their Effects, are not to pay or deliver the same but to whom the Commissioners shall appoint, but give Notice to Mr. Thomas Harwar, Attorney at Law, at Congleton in the said County.

Whereas the acting Commissioners in the Commission of Bankrupt awarded against Thomas Turner, heretofore of Greek-Street in the Parish of St. Ann Soho in the County of Middlesex, Tallow-Chandler and Plaisterer, and late of Rupert-Street in the Parish of St. James in the same County, Plaisterer, Dealer and Chapman, have certified to the Right Hon. Henry Lord Apsley, Lord High Chancellor of Great Britain, that the said Thomas Turner hath in all Things conformed himself according to the Directions of the several Acts of Parliament made concerning Bankrupts; This is to give Notice, that by virtue of an Act passed in the Fifth Year of his late Majesty's Reign, his Certificate will be allowed and confirmed as the said Act directs, unless Cause be shewn to the contrary on or before the 15th of October next.

Whereas the acting Commissioners in the Commission of Bankrupt awarded against William Bingley, late of Newgate-Street in the City of London, Stationer, Dealer and Chapman, have certified to the Right Hon. Henry Lord Apsley, Lord High Chancellor of Great Britain, that the said William Bingley hath in all Things conformed himself according to the Directions of the several Acts of Parliament made concerning Bankrupts; This is to give Notice, that by virtue of an Act passed in the Fifth Year of his late Majesty's Reign, his Certificate will be allowed and confirmed as the said Act directs, unless Cause be shewn to the contrary on or before the 15th of October next.

Whereas the acting Commissioners in the Commission of Bankrupt awarded against Charles Whitehouse, of Little St. Martin's Lane in the Parish of St. Ann Westminster in the County of Middlesex, Locksmith, Dealer and Chapman, have certified to the Right Hon. Henry Lord Apsley, Lord High Chancellor of Great Britain, that the said Charles Whitehouse hath in all Things conformed himself according to the Directions of the several Acts of Parliament made concerning Bankrupts; This is to give Notice, that by virtue of an Act passed in the Fifth Year of his late Majesty's Reign, his Certificate will be allowed and confirmed as the said Act directs, unless Cause be shewn to the contrary on or before the 15th of October next.

In last Saturday's Gazette, in the Advertisement for a Dividend of the Estate and Effects of Joseph Browne, read Final Dividend.